

New Orleans Area Parishes

ACS 5-Year Estimates (2019 -2023) Educational Attainment

Parish	Population 25 and Over	Less than High School Diploma	High School Diploma or GED Equiv	Some College	Associates Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree	PhD
Jefferson Parish	303,617	13.45%	27.67%	21.85%	7.09%	18.98%	9.72%	1.24%
Orleans Parish	268,012	10.85%	21.26%	20.75%	5.18%	22.55%	16.85%	2.55%
Plaquemines Parish	15,433	14.36%	32.87%	26.29%	6.64%	13.76%	5.93%	0.16%
St. Bernard Parish	29,132	18.73%	28.16%	26.25%	9.67%	11.27%	5.03%	0.89%
St. Charles Parish	35,110	10.93%	30.19%	22.42%	9.25%	19.76%	6.90%	0.56%
St. James Parish	13,870	11.38%	40.77%	17.36%	10.30%	14.96%	4.57%	0.66%
St. John the Baptist Parish	27,537	13.26%	39.91%	18.49%	9.63%	11.98%	5.89%	0.85%
St. Tammany Parish	184,926	8.60%	24.00%	23.48%	7.36%	23.72%	11.59%	1.25%
Tangipahoa Parish	88,549	16.13%	34.96%	19.67%	7.01%	14.67%	6.77%	0.79%
Washington Parish	31,006	15.91%	45.43%	20.03%	5.91%	8.49%	4.13%	0.10%
Regional 10 Parishes Above	997,192	12.21%	27.17%	21.67%	6.84%	19.58%	11.08%	1.45%
* ¹ RPC LA PDD 5-Parish Region	801,120	11.67%	24.80%	22.10%	6.60%	20.89%	12.30%	1.65%
* ² RPC 9-Parish Region	966,186	12.09%	26.58%	21.72%	6.87%	19.94%	11.30%	1.49%
* ³ New Orleans-Metairie MSA	692,711	12.51%	26.20%	21.51%	6.73%	19.60%	11.80%	1.65%
Louisiana	3,110,254	13.10%	32.54%	20.70%	7.11%	16.77%	8.63%	1.15%

*¹RPC LA PDD 5-Parish Region includes Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, and St. Tammany Parishes.

*²RPC 9-Parish Region includes Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. James, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany and Tangipahoa Parishes.

*³MSA = Metropolitan Statistical Area as Designated in 2023 by the U. S. Census Bureau includes the first 7 parishes listed, but does not include St. Tammany (Slidell, Mandeville-Covington MSA), Tangipahoa (Hammond MSA) or Washington Parishes.

Data from Amercian Community Survey (ACS) 5-year estimates (2019-2023) U.S. Census estimates coinciding with RPC GIS mapping for Title VI by parish.